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CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. (Withdrawn) An apparatus comprising:

credit management logic to communicate to a chipset an available amount of memory credits in an input/output (I/O) controller;

a first buffer of a first memory size contained within the I/O controller coupled to, and in communication with the credit management logic; and

a second buffer of a second memory size contained within the I/O controller coupled to, and in communication with the credit management logic.